

Application No. 09/781,823  
Amendment "A" dated April 12, 2005  
Reply to Office Action mailed February 3, 2005

REMARKS

Applicants and applicant's attorney express appreciation to the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the recent interview held on March 31, 2005. Reconsideration and allowance for the above-identified application are now respectfully requested. Claims 1-14 are pending, wherein claims 1, 11 and 12 have been amended in a manner consistent with the proposed amendments and matter discussed at the interview. Claims 15-22 have been withdrawn from consideration.

Each of the pending claims, as amended, provides for differentiating between each of the parsed semantic components and selecting a compression method, if any, to be used for each parsed semantic component, taking into consideration the specific attributes of each semantic component in selecting a compression method appropriate for that particular semantic component. Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1-14 are allowable over the prior art of record.

In the event that the Examiner finds any remaining impediment to a prompt allowance of this application that may be clarified through a telephone interview, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney.

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